

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

Public Services – Registration & Stamps – Certain allegations against Sri T.Gyaneshwar Rao, Sub Registrar (Retired) – Departmental Proceedings initiated – Final orders – Issued.

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**REVENUE (VIGILANCE.VI) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Rt.No.1249.

Dated: 08.08.2013.

Read the following:-

1. Charge Memo.No.G/676/2007-2, dated: 21.07.2007 of the DIG, R&S, Hyderabad.
2. Written Statement of Defence of Sri T.Gyaneshwar Rao, dated: 14.08.2007.
3. Procdgs.No.G/676/2009-1, dated: 13.11.2009 of the DIG, R&S, Hyderabad.
4. Procdgs.No.G/676/2007, dated: 11.01.2010 of the DIG, R&S, Hyderabad.
5. From the D.R., Medak, Lr.No.G1/2602/09-1, dated: 06.09.2011.
6. From the DIG RS, R.R.(East), Lr.No.G/676/2007, dated: 24.11.2011.
7. From the C&IG, R&S, A.P., Hyderabad., Lr.No.Vig.1/6189/2007, dated: 03.01.2012.
8. Govt.Memo.No.3529/Vig.VI (3)/2012-1, dated: 18.08.2012.
9. Representation of Sri T.Gyaneshwar Rao, S.R.(Retd.), dated: 19.11.2012.
10. Govt. Lr.No.3529/Vig.VI (3)/2012-3, dated: 28.06.2013.
11. From the Secy., APPSC, Hyderabad, Lr.No.1539/RT/3/2013, dated: 11.07.2013.

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**ORDER:**

Whereas, it was brought to the notice of the Government that the Disciplinary Authority i.e. the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Hyderabad framed one Charge against Sri T.Gyaneshwar Rao, former S.R., Bhoingir, Nalgonda District (reference 1<sup>st</sup>) as follows:

**CHARGE:**

“That Sri Thota Gyaneshwar Rao, while functioning as Sub Registrar, Bhongir during the period between 22.07.2002 to 14.01.2003 committed grave misconduct in as much as “Registered 4 documents (1) 3218/2002, (2) 3491/2002 (3) 3492/2002 & (4) 4322/2002 of Bhongir Teachers Housing Society, which was registered under A.P Public Societies Registration Act 1350F, by colluding with the Vendees and exempted Stamp Duty @ 6% treating them as Deed of Assignments under Co-operative Societies Act and caused loss of Revenue Rs.8,100/- to the Government” and failed to maintain absolute integrity in violation of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.”

2. The Charged Officer submitted his Written Statement of Defence (reference 2<sup>nd</sup>) to the Disciplinary Authority requesting to drop the charge against him. As it is not convincing, the Disciplinary Authority ordered for regular enquiry by appointing the District Registrar, Medak at Sanga Reddy as Regular Enquiry Officer. After conducting detailed enquiry, the Regular Enquiry Officer submitted enquiry report to the Disciplinary Authority (reference 5<sup>th</sup>) wherein held the charge proved against the Charged Officer.

3. Further the Disciplinary Authority accepted the findings of the Regular Enquiry Officer in toto, and submitted his proposal to the Government (reference 6<sup>th</sup>) for taking further action, as the Charged Officer retired from service on 30.09.2007 and Government is the competent authority to take further action against the retired employees under Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter, have provisionally decided to impose a punishment of 5% cut in pension permanently on the Charged Officer and directed the Charged Officer to show cause as to why the above punishment should not be imposed on him for the charge held proved (reference 8<sup>th</sup>) and communicated the enquiry report to him. Further the Charged Officer submitted his representation (reference 9<sup>th</sup>) stating that the total deficit transfer duty as pointed out in respect of the said documents registered by him were remitted on 24.03.2007 and submitted the copies of the challans to the Disciplinary Authority and requesting to drop further action against him.

5. After examining the same, Government have observed that the Charged Officer not submitted any new grounds to consider his request, and the contention of the Charged Officer already examined by the Regular Enquiry Officer and in his findings stated that though the Charged Officer remitted the deficit stamp duty to the Government Exchequer, held the charge proved against him, as the Charged Officer erroneously allowed exemption of stamp duty at the time of registration of the said documents. Hence the above provisional decision was confirmed, and obtained the concurrence of Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission in the reference 11<sup>th</sup> cited (copy enclosed).

6. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose a punishment of 5% cut in pension permanently against Sri T.Gyaneshwar Rao, former Sub Registrar (now Retired), Bhoingir, Nalgonda District for the irregularities committed by him.

7. The Commissioner and Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, A.P., Hyderabad / the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Ranga Reddy (East) shall take necessary further action accordingly in the matter.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**VINOD K. AGRAWAL**  
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The Individual. (through the D.I.G., R&S, Ranga Reddy (East))  
The Commissioner and Inspector General,  
Registration & Stamps, A.P., Hyderabad.  
The Deputy Inspector General,  
Registration & Stamps, Ranga Reddy (East). (with a request to serve  
this G.O. on the individual and furnish served copy to Govt. for reference)

**Copy to:**

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.  
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,  
Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.  
The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.  
SF/SC.

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

**SECTION OFFICER**